

# THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH

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## OFFENSIVE TONE AROUSES WILSON

President Intends Sharp Rebuttal to Carranza.

## WILL ANSWER MEXICAN NOTE

Thinly Veiled Accusation That Chief Executive Is Playing Domestic Politics in Retaining American Troops Across Border Proves Exasperating.

Washington, June 2.—General Carranza will be sharply rebuked by President Wilson in the reply to the Mexican de facto president's note demanding withdrawal of American troops.

This is the view in well informed circles here, although official comment is withheld.

The tone of the Carranza document is regarded as decidedly offensive and certain portions of it, such as the thinly veiled accusation that the president is playing domestic politics in retaining the troops in Mexico, are said to have aroused the president.

It is doubtful, according to authorities on the international correspondence of the United States, if the government ever has received a communication couched in as offensive terms and containing as many apparent violations of the ordinary uses of diplomatic courtesy as this 12,000-word arrangement of its good faith and honesty of purpose.

President Wilson himself will decide what course shall be pursued. So far as could be learned no conferences or preliminary inquiries have yet been initiated to determine the nature of the reply.

Apparently none is necessary so far as the withdrawal of the troops is concerned.

## FUNSTON PROVIDES DETAILS

Sends All Available Information to Washington.

San Antonio, Tex., June 2.—Major General Funston sent to the war department all the information he has been able to obtain regarding movements in Northern Mexico of Mexican troops.

The report was made at the request of the department and the details were not made public here.

Except for the fact that the number of troops the Mexican minister of war has sent into Northern Mexico is so much greater than the number he had told Generals Scott and Funston he would send army officers have seen little to cause them to believe an attack is to be made on the American troops.

Some threats against General Pershing's forces have been reported, made by minor officers of the Mexican army, and a few instances of action that appeared indicative of contemplated harassing of the American troops further south have been reported.

## OLD SETTLERS TO DISBAND

Only Two Out of Four Attend Meeting at St. Paul.

St. Paul, June 2.—The Minnesota Old Settlers' association will have one more meeting. This was decided at a banquet at the Merchants hotel. On June 1, 1917, the remaining members of the association will meet in conjunction with the Territorial Pioneer association.

Of the original 102 members of the association four are left. Only settlers who came to Minnesota prior to Jan. 1, 1850, and were at least twenty-one years old at that date, are eligible to membership. This means members must be at least eighty-seven years old.

John Daubney of Taylors Falls, ninety-seven years old, was the older surviving member of the organization present. A. L. Larpenteur was the other member present. Caleb Dorr of Minneapolis and E. W. Duran, now living at Charleston, S. C., are the other members.

The organization will cease to exist following the meeting next year.

## \$1,540,985 DUE MINNESOTA

Counties, Municipalities, School Districts Will Pay Up July 1.

St. Paul, June 2.—The state of Minnesota will collect July 1 on loans to counties, municipalities and school districts of the state \$1,540,985.22, of which \$842,274.56 is principal and \$698,708.66 is interest.

The principal goes back into the permanent fund to be loaned out again, while the interest goes into the general school and university funds for current use.

State Treasurer A. C. Gooding mailed to county auditors statements as to amounts due, which they are to collect. The total collected July 1, 1915, was \$1,371,745.96.

## Too Much Talk Reverses Suit

(By United Press)

St. Paul, June 2.—Because his lawyer talked too much the supreme court reversed the \$10,000 damage suit given in favor of F. E. Smith of Pine County. Smith, an employee, sued the railroad company, and his attorney talked so long that the company's attorney asked the court to instruct the jury to disregard his plea. The judge failed, and on this point the supreme court gave a new trial.

## Annual Salaries County Officers

(By United Press)

St. Paul, June 2.—The supreme court upheld the special Otter Tail county law limiting the annual salaries of county officers to \$1,600. County Treasurer Stronström wanted his salary raised and attempted to prove that the special act of 1891 was invalid because of a later constitutional amendment prohibiting special legislation. The court held the act was effective long before the amendment passed, and holds.

## War Declaration Tense Situation

(By United Press)

Rome, June 2.—It is believed a declaration of war between Bulgaria and Greece is imminent at Athens. The Bulgarian minister protested to King Constantine against the Greeks firing upon the Bulgars on the border. Premier Skoulous refused to receive the protest. The situation is the most tense.

## 20,000 Mexicans for Border Patrol

(By United Press)

Washington, June 2.—Gen. Funston officially reports that there are 20,000 Carranzistas spread out over an area of 500 miles for border patrol work, this being double what Gen. Obregon promised.

## Four are Injured

(By United Press)

Decatur, Ill., June 2.—Four were injured when the Wabash flyer was wrecked last night by the storm at Forest Hill. A corpse was thrown clear of the coffin in which it was being carried, the coffin being smashed.

## Investigate Floods

(By United Press)

St. Paul, June 2.—State Auditor Preuss has sent an expert to International Falls to investigate the flood condition there.

## Delegate Contests

(By United Press)

Washington, June 2.—22 delegates are still involved in contests before the committee.

## BATTLE BETWEEN AEROPLANES

(By United Press)

Paris, June 2.—An official report says a pitched battle between the German and French aeroplane squadrons resulted in two of the enemy's machines being grounded, one near Etain. Two French aeroplanes attacked a Fokker and by circling constantly closer to the enemy the aircraft forced the Fokker down and finally riddled it with bullets and it fell near Bouconville.

## MRS. COWLES THE WINNER

Chosen Head of General Federation of Women's Clubs.

New York, June 2.—Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles of Los Angeles is the new president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

She won over Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath, Tiffin, O., in one of the liveliest campaigns in the federation's history.

## BRITISH AND GERMAN FLEETS ENGAGE IN NORTH SEA BATTLE

### London Confirms Report of Battle—Berlin Claims Germans Destroyed Many English Vessels

### Fight Occurred Night of May 31, but Details are not Yet Obtainable ---All Night Battle

#### Naval Battle Occurs in the North Sea

(By United Press)

Berlin, June 2.—The main British and German fleets have engaged in a naval battle.

#### London Confirms Report

London, June 2.—The report of the naval engagement in the North Sea is officially confirmed, the details not being given.

#### Berlin Says Many Vessels Destroyed

Berlin, June 2.—An official dispatch says that over eight British war vessels were destroyed, and many badly damaged when the main British and German fleets engaged. We, (the Germans) destroyed the large battleship Warspite, battle cruisers Queen Mary and Indefatigable, two armed cruisers apparently of the Achilles type, one small cruiser, new flagships of destroyers Turbant, Nestor and Alcastor, several torpedo destroyers and one submarine.

#### Admits Two German Warships Destroyed

New York, June 2.—The British and German high sea fleets clashed May 31st. The fighting continued through the night. Berlin claims that nine British warships, submarines and numerous small vessels were sunk, and also admits that two and possibly three German war ships were sunk.

#### Naval Battle Affects Market

(By United Press)

Chicago, June 2.—July wheat broke one to three points on receipt of the news of the naval battle.

New York, June 2.—The stock market broke one to three points when the news of the North Sea battle was reported.

#### FRENCH PROGRESS 100 METERS

(By United Press)

Paris, June 2.—An official report says that furiously attacking with infantry the French troops progressed 100 metres into the German trenches south of Caurettes Woods. The curtain of fire checked the Germans near Cumieres.

#### Senatorial Candidates for the Republican Nomination



These snapshots of five Republican senators who have been considered for the Republican nomination for President were obtained recently in Washington. They are the latest photographs taken. With Justice Hughes and Theodore Roosevelt out of the way one of them may be nominated.

## Many Persons are Reported Killed

(By United Press)

LaCrosse, June 2.—Several persons are reported killed and much damage done at North McGregor, Ia., and Prairie du Chien, Wis., and all wires are down as a result of the storm in that section.

Later advices say no deaths resulted.

## Cloud Burst Does \$50,000 Damage

(By United Press)

Dubuque, Iowa, June 2.—Dispatches from McGregor, Iowa, state that the cloud burst there did \$50,000 damage, and says there is an unconfirmed report that three persons were drowned.

## Two were Killed at Waterloo, Ia.

(By United Press)

Waterloo, Ia., June 2.—Two were killed and several injured when the Rock Island passenger train was wrecked by a cloud burst, the rails spreading. This was the train that runs from Chicago to the twin cities.

## Five Were Killed

(By United Press)

Chicago, Ill., June 2.—The officials admit that five were killed and eight injured at Waterloo when the train plunged through a weakened bridge.

## Injured in Cyclone

(By United Press)

Chicago, June 2.—It is reported that 18 persons were injured in a cyclone which struck a Wabash passenger train near Saunemin, Ill., four sleepers, the chair car and two baggage cars being derailed.

## Think Facts Will Get Together

(By United Press)

Chicago, June 2.—The confidence that the progressives and republicans will get together grew this afternoon. George Perkins, the Bull Moose leader, said "We will nominate Teddy, then present the arguments to the republicans, and we believe these arguments will convince the 500 unrestricted delegates, and with the avowed Roosevelt delegates I will carry the convention."

## CAPTURE FIRST LINE POSITIONS

### Germans Shift Offensive to Northeast of Verdun.

### HOLD AUSTRIANS IN CHECK

Italians Repulse Assaults at Various Points Along the Tyrol Front. Turks Prevent Russians Making Further Progress in Asia Minor.

London, June 2.—The Germans have switched their offensive from the region of Dead Man's hill, northwest of Verdun, to the sector between the Thiaumont farm and Vaux, northeast of the fortress, and have succeeded here in entering French first line trenches between Fort Douaumont and Vaux pond.

The attack was made over a front of about two miles and was preceded by violent artillery preparations. The French met the German onslaughts with their machine guns and succeeded in holding back the attacking forces everywhere except at the point between Fort Douaumont and Vaux pond.

The heavy fighting around Dead Man's hill and the Avocourt wood has dwindled to intermittent bombardments since the repulse of German attacks and the launching of a counter-attack by the French which gave them German trenches 400 meters in extent southeast of Le Mort Homme. Artillery Fire Slacks.

The activity of the artillery on the remainder of the front in France also has lessened in violence. In the Vosges mountains, near Altkirch, the Germans report the occupation of French positions 350 meters long and about 350 meters deep and the capture of prisoners and booty.

The Italians, according to Rome, continue to hold back attacks by the Austrians at various points along the Tyrol front. Especially bitter fighting has taken place in the region of the Posina torrent and southeast of Arziero, where the Austrians either were stopped or driven back in disorder. Lively artillery duels are in progress in the La Garina valley and between the Posina and the upper Asolo rivers.

Artillery engagements and infantry fire is in progress along the whole of the Russian front, but no changes in the positions of the Russians or the Turks have been reported.

The Turks, taking the offensive at three points in Asia Minor against the Russians have temporarily, at least, brought the Russian advance toward Mesopotamia to a standstill.

## AUSTRIANS RENEW THEIR OFFENSIVE

Rome, June 2.—The Austrian offensive has been resumed with increased vigor, especially along the Posina rivulet. The object of the Austrians is to surround Arziero, which would enable them to descend toward Schio.

Confronted by stubborn resistance the Austrians here have been compelled to retire back across the Uosina after suffering heavy losses.

It is said that two Austrian generals were killed in the fighting in addition to a large number of other officers.

The heavy casualty list is attributed to the nature of the terrain, which consists of rugged peaks, gorges, precipices and narrow valleys where the making of shelter trenches is impossible.

### 5,000 LONDON TAXICABS IDLE

Women Ask to Take Places of Drivers Gone to War.

London, June 2.—Five thousand taxicabs are idle in London because many drivers have joined the colors and the authorities are being urged to relax the rules so as to permit women and discharged sailors and soldiers to operate them. When the war broke out there were 10,000 licensed taxicabs in London.

### PRINCE EDWARD TO MARRY

Heir to British Throne Will Wed Italian King's Daughter.

Rome, June 2.—Prince Edward, heir apparent to the British throne, is to wed Princess Jolanda, eldest daughter of the king of Italy.

The twenty-two-year-old prince visited Rome a few weeks ago and then made a trip to the Italian front, where he was the guest of King Victor Emmanuel.

After his return the king is said to have summoned the princess to army headquarters to extend congratulations.

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June 1—Maximum 57, minimum  
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**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

Mrs. Albert Larson is visiting in Clitherall.

Lots \$1 a week, Nettleton. 291tf  
E. Seavey of Altkin, was in the city today.

H. W. Linnemann went to Minneapolis Friday.

Pillsbury Pull-Outs will get your car out of any hole. For sale by Clarence Olson, 617 Norwood. 297

Thomas Bear is in Grand Forks on business matters.

For Spring Water Phone 264. tf

Attorney F. A. Lindbergh of Crosby, was in the city on business.

Mrs. Charles Peterson of Cuyuna, was a Brainerd visitor Thursday.

Advance drills in Gregg shorthand, Brainerd Business College. 302tf

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W. H. Andrews of Emily, candidate for county commissioner, was in the city today.

Glasses properly fitted, Dr. Long, 291tf

Mr. and Mrs. B. Magoffin, Jr., of Deerwood, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Elder.

Daily and Sunday papers at Lammon's. 1112

Rev. Elof Carlson has returned from Malmo and Hae where he attended district meetings.

Boys! Boys! Have you seen D. M. Clark & Co.'s new line of baseball goods. 303tf

Extra rooms are worthless. Advertise that unoccupied room in the Dispatch want ad column.

If your lawn mower needs sharpening, let D. M. Clark & Co. call for it.

303tf

Wm. Reilly went to Montana Friday to attend to business matters and will return in a short time.

Correct apparel for graduation and confirmation. Bring your boy to the H. W. Linnemann store. 112

Mrs. Frank G. Hall and baby boy will go to Minneapolis on Saturday for a month's visit with relatives.

The Daily Dispatch is on sale at Lammon's. 116

Miss Agnes Huseby, guest of her sister, Mrs. M. L. Hostager, returned this afternoon to her home in Cloquet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ley, who spent the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ley, of St. Cloud, have returned to Brainerd.

For Saturday only, quart peanuts free with every pound of coffee bought at Star Grocery. 11

Tickets for the commencement exercises may be reserved at Dunn's drug store after 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

For pure ice phone Peoples Ice Co., Elther phone. 288tf



The man with money was never burnt by Get-rich-quick Schemes. He kept his money in the Bank.

Do you know, young man, that most gamblers DIE POOR?

Do you know that any "Get-Rich-Quick" scheme is a "gambler" and money that comes easy, GOES easy?

The vine that grows up over night is easily blown down while the sturdy oak which grows slowly but surely withstands the storms.

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Miss Anna L. Michaelson, superintendent of the Northwestern hospital, has returned from Cloquet where she visited her mother.

Mrs. Geo. F. Murphy has returned from Jamestown, N. D., where she was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Koop and family.

Lawn Mowers, Lawn Mowers! from \$3 to \$8, at D. M. Clark & Co's.

303tf

James Cleary, 13 year old son of W. H. Cleary, caught a 31 pound muskallonge at Round lake, having been out fishing with C. D. Peacock, city engineer.

Mrs. Hannah Johnson went to Staples Friday to attend graduation exercises, her twin nephews, Walter and Wesley Hanson, being members of the class.

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Little Falls Transcript.

The "Best" theatre played to capacity houses at the matinee of "Damaged Goods" and at the evening performances. Many stood in line waiting for the next performance.

W. B. Lutz, traveling salesmen of the Kuhles & Stock Co., St. Paul, was in the city calling on the trade.

He was formerly a ticket agent of the Northern Pacific in Brainerd.

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## WOMAN'S REALM

### BISHOP McGOLRICK TO GIVE ADDRESS

Distinguished Prelate will be Commencement Orator at St. Francis School Exercises

### 18 IN THE GRADUATION CLASS

Program to be Given at the Brainerd Opera House on Wednesday Evening, June 7

Right Reverend Bishop James McGolrick, of Duluth, widely known as a churchman and educator, one who has done much in the upbuilding of the Northwest and who is one of the most public spirited of men, will be the commencement day orator at St. Francis parochial school exercises to be held on the evening of Wednesday, June 7, at the Brainerd opera house.

At 2:30 in the afternoon Bishop McGolrick will officiate at the confirmation ceremonies of 250 children one of the largest classes in the history of the parish.

An unusually fine program will be presented. The salutatorian is Ernest Wise. Two plays will be given and there will be songs and recitations, etc.

The graduating class numbers 18 and includes Josephine Graham, Eleanor Canan, Margaret Spilman, Helen McCaffery, Irene Hoerner, Esther Lynch, Irene Turcotte, Irene Gartner, Sadie Pichler, Esther Pichler, Stella Houle, Marie Gabiou, Ernest Wise, Albert Buscher, Donald Ryan, Walter Cullen, Martin Dunn and Henry Buscher.

The class motto is "Look Beyond" and the class colors are green and rose. The commencement program is:

Chorus, "Tripping O'er the Hills"..... Veazie

Salutatory ..... Ernest Wise

"What's in the Basket?"..... Small Girls

"The Pull Back," Playlet

Characters:

Mrs. Oldstyle ..... Eleanor Canan

Mrs. Sensney ..... Sadie Pichler

Hattie Pride ..... Irene Gartner

Adelaide Pride ..... Stella Houle

Gertie Plane ..... Esther Pichler

The Waitress ..... Irene Hoerner

Song, "Little Mothers"..... Marjorie Oberst, Kathleen Early

The Mail Carriers ..... Small Boys

"The Dumb Waiter" Farce

Characters of Play: Miss Siblee, Principal

..... Margaret Spilman

Miss Warren, teacher ..... Esther Lynch

Sally Vernon, old pupil

..... Irene Turcotte

Lucy Dering ..... Helen McCaffery

Hattie Mason ..... Josephine Graham

New Pupils

(a) "Our Country's Flag".....

(b) "Song of the Fisherman".....

Intermediate Boys

Rose Drill

Intermediate Girls

Recitation, "The Singing of the 'Magnificat'".....

Donald Ryan

Song, "Daisy Time"..... Denza

Eighth Grade Girls

Presentation of Diplomas

Address

Right Reverend Bishop McGolrick

Chorus, "Farewell"

By Class of 1916.

#### Browning-Brock

The wedding of Cassius M. Bock of Attkin, and Miss Marie Browning was celebrated on May 29. Witnesses to the pleasing ceremony were Mrs. Leon Thomas of Pine River and F. Browning of Ironon.

The Dispatch joins their many friends in wishing them unbounded happiness and prosperity.

#### For Miss Kneif

On Wednesday evening Miss Marian Phelps entertained the "Philanthropic Class" in honor of Miss Mary Kneif who left Friday for her home in Chancery Falls, Wis. Light refreshments were served and a pleasant evening spent.

#### Sunbeam Circle

The Bethlehem Lutheran church Sunbeam Circle will be entertained at the church parlors on Saturday afternoon. All members will please be present.

#### Booster Girls Club

The Booster Girls club of the high school is being entertained Friday and Saturday at a house party at the Baker home at Nisswa.

## The Ragged Edge is Fashionable

BY MARGARET MASON

(Written for the United Press)

Her parasol is edged with fringe And she's fringe on her dainty gown; Her curving lashes fringe her eyes And she lives on the fringe of town.

New York, June 2.—To be on the fringe of society is the last thing one could wish, but to have on the fringe of fashion is the latest thing one could wish. Indeed it seems as if fringe were infringing on the popularity of all other trimmings. The fringed frocks are omnipresent and boasts anything from tiny edging of vivid hued yarn fringe to a deep fringe of silk, either black or of a tone to match or contrast with the gown. It is used effectively on the bottoms of the wide skirts and to edge the bell shaped sleeves. One stunning evening model shows an entire overskirt of knotted silk fringe of yellow, black, blue, green and old rose over a petticoat of turquoise-blue chiffon. The sleeves are mere shreds of fringe and the apology for a bodice is a scrap of the turquoise chiffon. The new wide cape collars are edged with narrow, colorful fringe; hats have a narrow yarn fringe edging and I even glimpsed a swaggy damsel who wiped her up-tilted up-to-date nose on a handkerchief of pale mauve with a tiny old blue edging of thread fringe. Fringe is certainly up to snuff. On the loose long taffeta coats and wraps either for day or evening wear the fringe is visible with the pinked ruchings as a finish but it is as a finish for a parasol perhaps that fringe reaches its truly highest point. One smart sunshade of emerald green taffeta is built on the flat, many ribbed Chinese parasol lines with a blunt little snubnose ebony ferule and a long knob-finished handle of the same glossy black. A bright green silk cord is knotted round the handle, with a fitting loop through which its owner's arm is meant to stick when she shuts up her sunshade in shady byways and chooses to dangle it at arm's length. The real finishing touch of this adequately lovely parasol however, is an edging of three inch black silk fringe that brooks so infringement of the sun's rays across the summer girl's countenance. A zebraque sunshade is one of black and white striped taffeta. The stripes radiate outward from the center and end in

a fringe of alternate black and white striping to match the silk. The handle to this is of white with a black knob at the top. A cerise parasol fringed like the black and green one is also very stunning though a bit prone to cast a too rosy glow over healthy countenance. No one may expect to look pale and interesting under cover of a cerise sunshade. A shell pink taffeta sunshade that is a mass of petal shaped scallops like a huge pink rose just adds the pink of perfection to a summer toilette of white net and pink picot ribbon, but a shade deeper it is wiser not to go. A purple satin parasol veiled in a film of black Spanish lace with a quaint purple glass knobbed stick, in a Fifth avenue window is a replica of great grandmother's that now moulder in the attic and proves the aphorism that there's nothing new under the sun—not even a 1916 parasol.

#### WORLD'S FASHION NOTES

Satin Hats are the Mode of the Moment in Paris—Some Effective Neck Fixings

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Lewis makes a charming broad-brimmed one of dull pink satin in a delightfully delicate shade, trims it with pink and white apple blossoms, and then drapes over it and under it a broad blue velvet ribbon which is continued in a braid and flowing end under the chin. Another very smart model from this house is made of black satin with a fairly narrow brim trimmed with a pink rose at the left side and a black velvet braid and cord. From Odette comes an oddly shaped brown satin hat with a brim which is low and narrow at the front and high and wide at the back. This hat is trimmed with a scantily plumed brown feather.

To an important degree, the charm of the summer frock is dependent this season upon the collar arrangement, and to vary the effect of any one gown some of the very effective new neck fixings may be pressed into service.

A graceful and becoming new collar which comes in a variety of different forms is shaped like the coils of a hilly. It is low and pointed at the front and high and rolling at the back. It may be had by itself with no shoulder capes attached, or if more in keeping with the style of the frock with which it is to be worn, it may be had with one or two capes of the same sheer stuff of which the collar is formed.

Cape-like collars are the best liked style. Sometimes they are narrow in the front and come down almost to the waist-line in the back; at other times they are just little round capes which vary in width from about four inches to a depth sufficient to come almost to the elbow when worn.

From Paris has come the first hint of the new materials for the fall. The Rodier looms are weaving thick, soft stuffs in soft, dark colors, warm and wintry looking. Among them is a heavy soft of beige canvas called "burella" because of its resemblance to the material used in the robes of the Capuchin friars. Then there is "diabure," a rather harsh tissue, also reminiscent of the old robes of the Capuchins. "Trykho drape" is a jersey cloth, firm and thick in texture. "Chevrotte foulard" is a very supple serge and "drapella" is a very thin, firm tissue resembling broadcloth.

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#### DECIDES GEORGIA CONTEST

National Committee Unseats Delegates Favoring Hughes.

Chicago, June 2.—Sixteen prospective votes for Justice Charles E. Hughes in the Republican convention were thrown out when the national committee voted to seat Henry S. Jackson, head of the delegation from Georgia. The action was taken after a lively contest which lasted more than six hours and in which it was necessary to determine the personnel of the Georgia state committee.

A delegation representing the Walter E. Johnson wing of the party in Georgia fought stubbornly.

Each delegation came to Chicago uninstructed, but it has been understood generally that the Johnson delegation was prepared to support Justice Hughes, while the Jackson delegates were friendly to the candidacy of Senator Root with John W. Weeks of Massachusetts as second choice.

**Had a Ready Reply.**  
An Irish soldier had lost his left eye in action, but was allowed to remain in the service on consenting to have a glass eye in its place. Being a typical "absentminded beggar," he appeared on parade one day minus his left "lamp."

"Nolan," said the officer, "you are not properly dressed. Why is your artificial eye not in its proper place?"

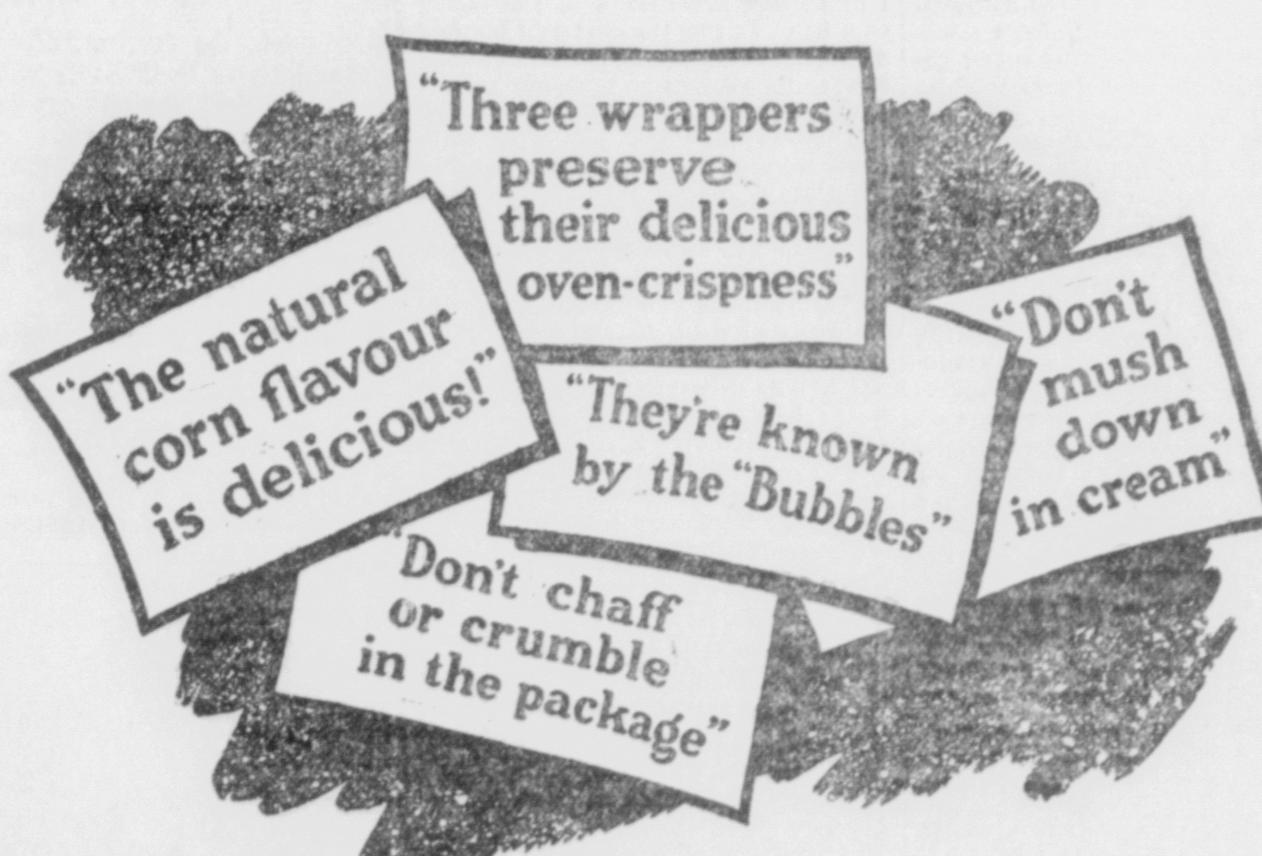
"Sure, sir," replied Nolan, "I left it in my box to keep an eye on my kit while I'm on parade."—Boston Transcript.

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**Clove Trees.**

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## Public Opinion



The first taste of New Post Toasties reveals the fact that something different—something better—has arrived for the breakfast table.

The secret is in the flavor—a self developed flavor of pearly white Indian corn—not the flavor of cream and sugar upon which other flakes have to depend.

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### RAIDERS HANG ON JUNE 9

Seven Mexicans Claim Villa Forced Them Into Attack.

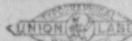
Deming, N. M., June 2.—Seven followers of Francisco Villa, the outlawed Mexican leader, will be hanged June 9. Governor William C. McDonald laid May 15, four days before the original date for the execution, granted a reprieve in compliance with a request from President Wilson, to permit an investigation into the conduct of the trial. By the governor's reprieve the execution was set for June 9.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 1916.

Buckman Favors  
Federal Aid

P. H. McGarry of Walker, state senator from the 52nd district, was in Brainerd this morning from Little Falls where he had been expressly for the purpose of interviewing C. B. Buckman regarding the development and reclamation of lands in Beltrami, Cass and Aitkin counties if the local man is again returned to congress. In speaking of his interview with Mr. Buckman, the Walker man said:

"I have been a supporter of Mr. Buckman for some time, but since visiting him this morning I am more enthusiastic than ever to have him returned to the national body. His election will mean much to the people of the northern counties. If you will remember I introduced a resolution in the state legislature at the last session which asked for federal aid in regulating the waters of the upper Mississippi and in Leech lake. This resolution was passed, but congress has taken no active steps to aid the people of my territory. With Mr. Buckman in congress we will be assured of active, and not passive, aid. He has given me his personal pledge to work for federal aid for the betterment of the roads in the district and especially will this be felt in Cass, Beltrami and Aitkin counties. He has also pledged himself to work for the better regulation and lowering of the waters in the Mississippi and Leech lake, thus reclaiming some 300,000 acres of valuable lands, putting these lands on the tax rolls of the counties mentioned above and enabling the settlers to secure homes at a very small cost. Mr. Buckman's stand means more than the average person realizes to the residents of my district and I feel very elated. I can assure you, to go back home and tell the people what has been pledged me."

## BUCKMAN A WINNER

The Bemidji Pioneer after a careful survey of the political field has the following to say editorially of the congressional situation in the Sixth district:

The candidates for the Republican congressional nomination in the Sixth district are coming down the home stretch with C. B. Buckman of Little Falls far in the lead.

Mr. Buckman is very generally looked upon throughout the entire district as a sure winner. Sentiment in his favor is increasing steadily.

When in congress before, he made an excellent record as an active and efficient working member, which is

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a valuable asset in his present campaign.

The Sixth district needs a live, practical man who knows the needs of this district and who can and will work early and late to serve his constituents.

Buckman is a typical Minnesota hustler, a practical man and he does things. He is the man that the Sixth district wants to represent it in congress.

The Red Wing Republican takes a column of editorial space to tell how it cut the price of the city printing to one-half the legal rate. Conditions sometimes exist between publishers whereby newspaper men endeavor to justify themselves for doing public printing for considerably less money than it costs to get before the public, but in no other line of business is there an instance where goods or services are furnished the city or county on a cut throat proposition. There is no reason why a municipality should be given a cut rate and there is every reason why municipalities should pay full rates as do business men. If there is anything to be given away to municipalities it is fully covered by the constant advertising and booming the cities get from the same newspapers which seem to be anxious to break their necks to do the public printing for nothing.

The St. Cloud Journal-Press says Senator Clapp is evidently indifferent to the senatorial contest in which he is engaged, as he has instructed his campaign manager to hold his expenses down to \$500, and adds that the senator is investing his money in other states. Whether Senator Clapp is indifferent or not the fact stands out boldly that he will have the fight of his life for renomination and political wiseacres place him third in the race. Indications point to the nomination of Frank B. Kellogg as the republican candidate for United States senator.

The anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as the flag of our country, June 14th, will be the 129th recurrence of this occasion and the day is becoming more generally observed throughout the nation. It was on the 14th day of June, 1776, that congress announced that "the flag of the Union be 13 stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation." The American Flag association urges that the day be observed in schools by salutes to the flag and on business and residence buildings a display of the flag be made.

Germany is experiencing a meat shortage, the first time since the war began, and in Berlin and other large cities meat lines have grown as long as the bread lines and men stand in line for hours before they can procure the quota allotted. Grain prospects in that country for the present year are said to be excellent which is the one bright ray in Germany's national cupboard.

Fred Lynch will manage the coming democratic national campaign if the plans of the democratic leaders are carried out. Senator Thomas Taggart gives publicity to the statement that Lynch has been decided on as chairman of the democratic national committee, being the unanimous choice of the conference of leaders just held.

Rhubarb Pie.

Three cupfuls of rhubarb, one cupful of sugar, two tablespoonsful of flour, one tablespoonful of milk. Crust: One and one-half cupfuls of flour, two tablespoonsfuls of lard or shortening, one-half teaspoonful of salt.

Sift the flour and salt into the bowl; add the shortening and rub in very lightly with the tips of the fingers until well mixed; add a few drops of cold water at a time until you can shape. Divide in two parts; roll out thin. Dust pie tin with flour, put in dough, cover with one tablespoonful of flour; then add the rhubarb, which has been washed, skinned and cut into one-half inch pieces; sprinkle with one tablespoonful of flour and brush edges with milk. Roll out the top crust, cover and press edges together. Make two or three cross cuts on top (for the steam to come out), brush top with milk and bake in a moderate oven thirty-five to forty minutes. Rhubarb pie is one of the most difficult to make, the rhubarb being so watery. Always be sure to put flour under and over the rhubarb before adding the sugar.

Strawberry Sunshine.

Take four cupfuls of white sugar and half a cupful of water. Boil these together for four minutes; then add four cupfuls of large strawberries and boil ten minutes longer. Pour out in shallow dishes and set in sun for two days; then put in jelly glasses and cover with paraffin. This is the most delicious way of preparing strawberries, as they retain their natural flavor.

Money and Nut Sandwich.

Use white bread spread with honey into which some chopped nuts have been mixed.

## BENCH AND BAR ENDORSE JUDGE QUINN FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE



JUDGE JAMES H. QUINN.

We, the undersigned members of the bar of Southern Minnesota, do most heartily recommend Honorable James H. Quinn of Fairmont for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

For nineteen years Judge Quinn has been presiding judge of the Seventh Judicial District, and has presided in the court of most of the counties of Southern Minnesota.

From personal knowledge, we join in saying that during his long career on the bench he has proven himself a judge of the highest character, honesty and integrity, and possessed of exceptional legal ability, and we know he would honor and adorn the Supreme Court Bench of the State.

Albert Lea, Freeborn County.

Henry A. Morgan, Bennett O. Knudson, Herman Blackmer, A. C. Mayland, John F. D. Meighen, H. C. Carlson, T. V. Knatvold, H. H. Dunn, Norman E. Peterson, John O. Peterson, A. W. Johnson.

Austin, Mower County.

Nathan Kingsley, District Judge, A. W. Wright, J. D. Sherry, C. Page, F. G. Bassie, Henry Weber, Jr., S. D. Catherwood, LaFayette French, J. N. Nicholson.

Fillmore County.

Henry A. Larson, A. D. Gray, A. G. Chapman, A. C. Partida, John W. Hopp, D. S. Prinsing, D. K. Michener, Probate Judge, Joseph Underleak, R. E. Thompson, H. H. Hammer, R. J. Parker, Ludwig Gullickson.

Houston County.

W. A. Deters, P. K. Dahl, L. L. Dubux, Charles A. Doelval, F. A. Dubux, C. S. Trask.

Winona County.

M. B. Webber, Richard A. Randall, D. E. Tawney, Herbert M. Pierce, L. L. Brown, Edward Lees, B. A. Man, William Burns, Robert E. Looby, W. D. Abbott, S. H. Sonnen, W. J. Smith, William Cosman, Earl Simpson, Eugene Miller.

Rochester, Olmsted County.

Charles C. Wilson, Bert Elliott Eaton, C. E. Callaghan, Bert W. Eaton, Harry O. Christensen, Vernon Gates, William B. Richardson, John L. Birn, M. D. Halloran.

## TWENTY YEARS ON THE BENCH.

Judge Quinn was born in Wisconsin in 1857 of Scotch-Irish parentage; is fifty-eight years of age; has lived in Southern Minnesota during the past fifty-three years; began the practice of law in 1881; was County Attorney of Faribault county for five consecutive terms; is now serving his twentieth year as Judge of the Seventeenth Judicial District; is prompt in his decisions and never allows his work to linger.

(Prepared and published for Judge James H. Quinn by W. L. Nicholas, Fairmont, Minn.)

## Man Power.

There is a distinct difference between power and endurance. The average woman seems to have quite as much endurance as the average man, but in actual physical power she is entirely unclassed. In a series of experiments to determine this point it was found that the average energy a man can develop is one-fifth horsepower, that of a woman only half as much. The machine for making the tests is a bicycle mounted on a fixed frame and geared to a brake wheel. The person under test works the pedals, and the point at which the friction of the brake causes the machine to stop indicates the horsepower he has reached.—Pittsburgh Press.

## His Suggestion.

"It's a wonder to me you Americans don't abolish your legislatures altogether."

"Why?"

"You seem so happy when they adjourn."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Mean Thing!

Edith—I told Clara, under promise of absolute secrecy, of our engagement. Fred—And she has spoken of it everywhere? Edith—Not the spiteful thing, she never mentioned it.—Ex-change.

## Bulletin No. 2

## Why We Are Opposing A Government Armor Plant

## To the People:

Some people say that the very fact that the Bethlehem Steel Company is so aggressively fighting the proposal to build a Government armor plant is conclusive proof that the Company is seeking to assure for itself the "vast profits" derived from private manufacture.

The fact is that armor making is the least profitable feature of steel manufacture.

The reason we oppose a Government plant is very simple. It is this:

Even though there is but little profit in the making of armor, we have invested over \$7,000,000 in our armor plant;

That plant is useless for any other purpose; if a Government plant is built the usefulness of our plant is destroyed.

**It would be good business for us to make armor for the Government at any price over and above the actual shop cost, RATHER THAN SACRIFICE OUR ENTIRE INVESTMENT.**

We do not seek to save big profits; our purpose is very frankly to save our armor plant—itself built solely for the use of the Government—from going to the scrap heap.

To do that, we are prepared to agree for any period to any terms of manufacture which the Federal Trade Commission shall say absolutely protects the Government of the United States.

CHAS. M. SCHWAB, Chairman

EUGENE G. GRACE, President

Bethlehem Steel Company

POLITICS INVades  
SUPREME COURTBoth Political Parties Have  
Taken Part in Proceedings.

## TRIED HARD TO KEEP OUT.

Republicans by Talk of Nominating Justice Hughes Have Violated Old Custom, While Democrats by Making Confirmation of Brandeis' Nomination Political Issue Are Also Guilty.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, June 1.—[Special]—The supreme court is getting into politics in spite of itself. With every indication of a desire to keep out it now appears that the highest tribunal in the land is mixed up in the presidential politics of the year 1916.

The Republicans are mixed up by an effort to make Justice Hughes a presidential candidate notwithstanding his statement of his aversion to the use of his name in connection with the nomination. The Republicans are going ahead, and they may nominate him if they decide that it is the best to do.

The Democrats have been in politics to some extent in regard to the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis for associate justice. It has been evident that a number of Democrats in the senate were particularly hostile to Brandeis and that at least three Democrats on the judiciary committee would have voted against Brandeis if they had not been looking at the political end of the game.

## Showed Their Elation.

After the action of the judiciary committee in voting on strict party lines on the Brandeis nomination the Democrats showed their elation. The progressive element in the Democratic party believed that they had secured a victory and that it would tend to help the party in the presidential campaign.

The political situation was outlined to me by one of the shrewdest Democratic members of the senate. "By the action on Brandeis," he said, "the Democrats are reaching for the Progressives." They hope to obtain Progressive votes. The Republicans are reaching for conservative Democrats, and it will be a question when election time comes whether the Democrats have secured more Progressives than the Republicans will have secured conservative Democrats. But that is the politics of the situation as I see it."

## Not All Agreed.

The Democrats are not all agreed as to who is the strongest or weakest man the Republicans could nominate. Some of them assert that Roosevelt will be the easiest to beat, while others think that he might be elected. The general opinion among the Democrats, however, is that Justice Hughes will be the hardest man for them to defeat.

Rather a curious phase of the political beliefs is shown in the fact that it is generally the southern Democrats who express doubt as to the election of Wilson, while northern Democrats are generally quite confident that Wilson will be re-elected.

## Harry Now and Tom Taggart.

Harry New, for so long a Representative in Indiana, and Tom Taggart, who has been a political leader.

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## Colored Hallstones.

Red half is not unknown, even in Great Britain, for in May of 1885 there was quite a heavy fall of it at Castlewellan, in County Down. Red and white fell together, and the red hue was not merely on the surface of the pellets, but went through and through. When one was squeezed between the fingers it stained them.

At Minsk, in Russia, an even stranger hall shower had fallen five years before. Some of the pellets were ring shaped, and, while some were distinctly reddish, others were a bright blue. Some scientists declare that the coloring is due to various mineral salts.—London Standard.

## Butchers of Olden Times.

The Butchers' company can boast of

respectable antiquity,

for it figures

among the "adulterine guilds" fined

in 1180 for not being duly licensed.

It received a formal charter of incorporation

during

## LAYING OF MAINS SOON FINISHED

Brainerd Gas & Electric Company has about two or three miles more to lay in city

### 25,000 GALLONS OIL RECEIVED

Machinery being unloaded—Pushing machine shoves mains 182 ft. under railway crossing

G. E. Whitney, head of the Whitney Public Utilities, of St. Cloud and A. J. Bemis, general manager, were in Brainerd today, accompanied by H. G. Williams, general superintendent of gas departments of the company, and inspected construction work at the site and the laying of mains being done by the Brainerd Gas & Electric Co.

Mr. Whitney promised gas to Brainerd early in July, and the novelty of a Fourth of July dinner cooked on a gas range is a possibility. Mr. Whitney has recently returned from the south and Panama where he spent the winter. After a short swing about the circle inspecting the varied activities of his many companies, he will attend the graduation exercises of his son at Yale and his daughter at an eastern school. He looks well and hearty and his southern trip has restored him to his usual good health.

The Brainerd Gas & Electric Co. is making continual progress and is rapidly finishing its system of mains about the city. Two or three miles more remain to be laid and will be put in within a week. Orton Houck has charge of the crews.

What bothers some Brainerd people is wondering how the company will shove a main under cement paving. They have a pushing machine for such a purpose. The machine just pushed 182 feet of gas main under one of the railway crossings. Under the Broadway crossing the machine pushed 181 feet.

25,000 gallons of crude oil have been received. A carload of machinery is being unloaded at the site today. Within a week six or seven crews of five or six men each will start on service work connecting houses to the gas mains.

Sales and display rooms will be maintained in the Citizens State bank building, 613 Laurel street.

### SELLING MACHINERY

Edw. D. Gruenhagen of Slipp-Gruenhagen Co., busy disposing of Farm Machinery

Edward D. Gruenhagen, of the Slipp-Gruenhagen Co., is covering Crow Wing county and placing carloads of farm machinery of which the company is agent. Binders, rakes, mowers, manure spreaders, ensilage cutters, etc., are being sold by Mr. Gruenhagen.

### ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending May 26, 1916. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

Bakken, Miss Ruth  
Chenwith, Mrs. Minnie  
Gray, Willie  
La Neaw, Willard  
O'Malley, Joe L.  
Ormsby, Fred  
Quinn, John  
Wallace, Tommy

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Carvey, Miss Netta  
Carlson, Oscar  
Carlson, Oscar  
Gassinger, John  
Hanson, Elmer  
Nelson, Mrs. A.  
Seers, Miss Ma.  
Sprout, Dr. Samuel  
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### GREGG SHORTHAND

Special arrangements have been made to teach Gregg shorthand at Brainerd Business College.

S. P. RANDALL,  
302tf C. H. BERHORST

"Daddy, what is the plural of spouse called?"

"Spice, my boy."—Life.

## FILINGS MADE IN THE COUNTY

Judge J. T. Sanborn Unopposed as Candidate for Judge of Probate, Four for Representative

### MANY FOR CO. COMMISSIONER

Five Candidates Listed in the Third District, being Fourth and Fifth Wards of Brainerd

Filings for office as recorded with County Auditor C. W. Mahlum, include the following taken in the order of filing:

For representative of Crow Wing county—D. C. Henderson, of Nisswa; F. A. Lindbergh of Crosby; John A. Oberg of Deerwood; Hilding A. Swanson of Brainerd.

For judge of probate—Judge J. T. Sanborn.

For county commissioner first district, (St. Mathias country)—H. V. Flansburg, of St. Mathias; Frank S. Walker of Platte Lake.

For county commissioner third district—P. M. Zakariasen, W. F. Dieckhaus, Orus McIntosh, J. A. Erickson, Peter Peterson.

For county commissioner fifth district, (the north range country)—Oscar J. Carlson of Deerwood; Wm. Syreen of Klondyke township, W. H. Andrews of Emily; H. P. Armstrong of Ironton.

John Dewing of Roosevelt, wanted to file for county commissioner of the first district, but was a day too late.

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## NATURAL GROWTH HORSE SHOE CO.

Incorporated by John A. Johnson, Fred Kelly and Henry McCarthy of Ft. Ripley

### IS CAPITALIZED AT \$25,000.00

Barrows Named as the Principal Place of Business, to Manufacture Patented Article

The Natural Growth Horse Shoe Co. has been incorporated to start business June 10 for a period of 30 years. The incorporators are John Albert Johnson, Fred Kelly and Henry McCarthy, all of Fort Ripley.

Barrows is named as the principal place of business. The first board of directors includes the incorporators named, C. B. Peck of Barrows, and M. E. Ryan of Brainerd. The company is capitalized at \$25,000, there being 250 shares at \$100 each. The highest indebtedness allowed is \$10,000.

The officers are President Fred Kelly, vice president Henry McCarthy, secretary and treasurer John A. Johnson.

The horse shoe is a recently patented article, invented by a man who

knows the requirements of a shoe. It works on a hinge. A sample is to be sent the Dispatch and will be placed on exhibition in the office window. Enough shoes were made at Fort Ripley to confirm the inventor of the success of his ideas. The shoes were given actual tryouts and worked well.

### CROW WING ITEMS

Memorial exercises were held in the cemetery at Crow Wing in the afternoon of that day. A large crowd of Crow Wing and Barrows residents gathered to do honors to the dead soldiers and listen to the songs and recitations by scholars from the two schools. After the exercises the children decorated graves, and before departing for home all partook of a picnic lunch. All united in praise of this way to spend the day and hopes that altho this was the first observance of the day it would not be the last one, were expressed.

P. J. Oberst, at Henderson last week, was anxious to be at Minneapolis in time to attend the Knights of Columbus initiation ceremonies. The Henderson train was hours late and the station agent said, "Go to Jordan and catch a train there."

Oberst hired a Case automobile and then the moving picture story of obstacles and trouble commenced. At Jordan he was told the train ran the other way.

He drove the car to Shakopee and found no train at all on account of high water. Coming that far in a car Oberst thought the "Case" could carry him the balance of the 60 mile run into Minneapolis. They got outside of Shakopee and ran into a waste of water a mile wide and half a foot deep. The driver navigated through it, managing to cling to the road. Half way across they stalled. Yelling for help, a farmer splashed his way to them and pulled them through the rest of the newly formed lake.

Miss Clarke closes her school in Crow Wing on Friday with a picnic on the Everest grounds.

Mrs. Franz Kappel was called to Brainerd to the home of her daughter Mrs. Bildwell, by the death of her baby.

## WORKS AFTER 15 WEEKS LAYOFF

Jess Bemis Resumes Regular Employment After Gaining Relief in Taniac

Duluth, Minn., June 2—Jess Bemis, a well known electrician, who lives at the New York hotel in this city, is one of the hundreds of people who praise Taniac, the Master Medicine, as their one source of relief. Mr. Bemis said:

"For thirteen weeks I was not able to get around at all. I had rheumatism. At night I wasn't able to sleep and I couldn't eat very much. Working, of course, was out of the question.

"After taking one bottle of Taniac my condition was so much better that I went back to work. I've taken three bottles of Taniac now and I feel as well as I ever did in my life. I sleep like a child now and my appetite is fine."

Taniac, the Master Medicine, is especially beneficial for stomach, liver and kidney trouble, catarrhal complaints, rheumatism, nervousness, and the like and is a fine blood purifier and general system cleanser.

Taniac is now being specially introduced and explained in Brainerd at Johnson's pharmacy.—Advt.

### POULTRY, MEATS, HIDES

Hens ..... 14

Hides ..... 12

Veal, live ..... 6c to 7c

Veal, dressed ..... 9c to 11c

Hogs, live ..... 7c to 8c

Hogs, dressed ..... 11

Beef, live ..... 4c to 5c

Beef, dressed ..... 10c to 12c

Round trip 50 cents. 1129

### Excursion to Riverton

The steamer "Myrtis M" will leave Lum Park dock for Riverton at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon and will return leaving Riverton at 6 o'clock.

Round trip 50 cents.

American Association.

Standing of the Clubs—Brooklyn, 611; New York, 558; Philadelphia, 555; Boston, 456; Cincinnati, 452; Chicago, 452; Pittsburgh, 460; St. Louis, 429.

Pittsburgh 8, Cincinnati 4.

Philadelphia 4, New York 2.

Boston 6, 2; Brooklyn 1, 1.

American League.

Standing of the Clubs—Cleveland,

610; Washington, 606; New York,

555; Boston, 556; Chicago, 462; De-

troit, 432; Philadelphia, 385; St.

Louis, 375.

Chicago 6, Detroit 3.

Cleveland 5, 5; St. Louis 2, 6.

Boston 1, Washington 0.

Philadelphia 5, New York 6.

American Association.

Standing of the Clubs—Indianapolis,

626; Louisville, 375; Columbus, 548;

Minneapolis, 555; Kansas City, 514;

Toledo, 500; St. Paul, 424; Milwaukee, 275.

Indianapolis 12; Columbus 9.

Toledo 3; Louisville 1.

Kansas City 5; Milwaukee 3.

Northern League.

Duluth 4; Winnipeg 1.

Virginia 2; Superior 6.

## 100 ELKS TO GO TO DULUTH

Brainerd Lodge, No. 615 to Send a Fine Delegation to the State Convention

### ARRANGEMENTS BEING MADE

Range Members will be Well Represented—Occasion to be Made a Red Letter Day

Brainerd Lodge, No. 615, of the noble order of Elks, will be represented by at least 100 members at the state convention to be held June 14 and 15 in Duluth.

Col. C. D. Johnson is busy getting a list of those who will attend and the number in each party, hotel accommodations desired, etc. There was some talk first of taking passage on the special train from St. Cloud.

Brainerd Lodge, however, may resolve to travel in its own special coaches from Brainerd, on a schedule of its own. The proper committee has the matter in charge and will report in due season.

A large class was given antlers Thursday evening and the degree work was put on in that famous fashion which has made Brainerd noted in fraternal circles.

Following this came a luncheon and an informal program which was thoroughly enjoyed by novitiate and seasoned member. The Elks are prospering, the membership is increasing and the time is not far distant when the Elks will have a whole building of their own for their exclusive home and use to be constructed on lots already purchased by the lodge.

### \$800,000 FOR TAPESTRIES

Widener Pays Large Sum for Two Pieces of Cloth.

New York, June 2.—Eight hundred thousand dollars was paid to P. W. French & Co. by Joseph Widener of Philadelphia for two pieces of cloth.

For one Mr. Widener paid \$600,000

and for the other \$200,000.

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HIGH POINT IS REACHED

Federal Reserve Board's View of Business Activity.

Washington, June 2.—Business activity in the United States perhaps reached the maximum of the present upward movement, the federal reserve board announced in its monthly bulletin, with a tendency to proceed more cautiously, with a slight increase in the rate of inflation.

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# The Strange Case of Mary Page

**The Great McClure Mystery Story, Written by FRED ERICK LEWIS, in Collaboration With JOHN T. M'INTYRE, Author of the Ashton Kirk Detective Stories**

Read the Story and See the Essanay Moving Pictures

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## SYNOPSIS.

Mary Page, actress, is accused of the murder of James Pollock and is defended by her lover, Philip Langdon. Pollock was intoxicated. At Mary's trial she admits she had the revolver. Her maid testifies that Mary threatened Pollock with it previously, and Mary's leading man implicates Langdon. How Mary disappeared from the scene of the crime is a mystery. Brandon tells of a strange hand print he saw on Mary's shoulder. Further evidence shows that horror of drink produces temporary insanity in Mary. The defense is "repressed psychosis." Witnesses describe Mary's flight from her intoxicated father and her father's suicide. Nurse Walton describes the kidnapping of Mary by Pollock and Amy Barton tells of Mary's struggles to become an actress and Pollock's pursuit of her. There is evidence that Daniels, Mary's manager, threatened Pollock. Mary faints on the stand and again goes insane when a policeman offers her whisky. Daniels testifies that Pollock threatened to kill Mary and Langdon and actually attempted to kill the latter. Two witnesses describe Mary's flight to the street from the hotel and her abduction by men from a gambling place near by. Further evidence seems to incriminate Daniels.

## MAGGIE HALE

"WHAT is your name?"  
"Maggie Hale."  
"And your occupation?"  
For a fraction of a minute she hesitated and then answered lightly. "I am out of employment just at present. I was a private secretary to Theodore Barker."

A flicker of mutual amusement shot from Langdon's eyes to those of the Prosecutor, and the spectators with a whispering rustle of interest leaned forward to stare, for "Texas" Barker was a striking figure in the city.

His millions amassed by the masculine love of "taking a chance" would have made him notable anywhere, but "Texas" the gambler enlarged that notability to the spectacular, though

To Mary Page alone the name Barker meant nothing, and the sudden eagerness in her manner was due not to the expectation of a bit of sensational testimony, but because this was the woman she had been supposed to be on the night when the police dragged her to jail.

This new witness was, however, not a woman to bring from Mary anything but an uncontrollable shudder of aversion. For she was of the hard-mouthed, bold-eyed type whose profession it is to make herself attractive to men.

She was the decoy of the great gambling hell back of the Hotel Republic, and Mary wondered vaguely what on earth she could possibly know of the tragedy, that after so many weeks seemed no nearer a solution.

The Prosecutor wondered much the same thing, and the Judge made a

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"Saddle!" breathed Mary Page suddenly, and at the name the witness paled and, swinging about stared at Mary.

"How do you know—" she began, but Langdon interrupted quickly:

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"Why? Why, because Jim wasn't at the banquet and she couldn't get in. There wasn't anybody else there who recognized her, and she was counting on Jim. It was fixed with him, but I guess he forgot, so she was left out in the cold. She stuck around till pretty late, hoping to have a chance to get in on the game anyway, and then when she tried to go down the fire-escape she found it about as quiet as Broadway around eight o'clock. It was full of bulls and people and lights, so she had to go downstairs and out the regular way with nothing to pay for a wasted evening."

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mental note to warn Langdon that witnesses whose characters were not beyond reproach detracted from rather than added to a case.

And he made that resolution in the face of the twinkle of amused recognition that Maggie Hale had shot him when she took the stand. For all kinds and all classes met at Barker's, and it was with this famous place that Langdon's first question dealt.

"As secretary to Mr. Barker you must have been frequently at his establishment back of the Hotel Republic, were you not?"

"I was," the witness answered readily. "But mostly in the daytime. I had my evenings free."

"There were evenings when you were there, though, were there not?"

"Oh, lots!" Her tone was freighted with easy amusement. "Sometimes I met up with a party for dinner or a show, and then we'd drift about to try and bank at The House."

She smiled, and several men in the courtroom smiled too.

"Miss Hale, were you a friend of James Pollock?"

"I knew him; knew him pretty well. He was at Barker's a good bit."

"Were you at Barker's on the night that he was shot?"

"Yes, but early. Somebody tipped me off that the air was fresher at a cabaret."

A snigger of repressed mirth filtered through the room at this hint of the big raid, but Langdon frowned.

"Had you seen Mr. Pollock that day?"

"No, not since the night before."

"Miss Hale, isn't it true that you were to have joined the supper party for the company that Mr. Pollock and Mr. Daniels were giving?"

"No, I wanted to, but he said it was purely theatrical. Then I bet him I would come anyway."

"Why were you particularly anxious to attend that party on Mr. Pollock's account?"

"Not on your life! I knew that there was going to be some crooked work pulled off, but I couldn't prove it. I had a grudge against someone who was in it, and I wanted to queer the deal."

"Will you tell us please what that deal was?"

The woman twisted her hands together nervously, and her eyes darted among the spectators as if searching for a menacing face, then she said slowly:

"The—the deal wasn't pulled off, and I'd rather tell it without any names, if I've got to tell it. I'm not keen about snitching on people."

"I think you may tell it as you please. Should it become necessary to reveal the name I will ask for it."

"That's the ticket, you see it was this way."

Miss Hale settled back in her chair, as though she really enjoyed the interest she was creating.

Barker knew a fat lot of crooks of all kinds, and he had one pal call Budge Dudley who—wasn't all he might have been, but Texas stuck to him because he'd helped him once a long time ago. It was the same with Larry the Josh. Larry had a soft job at The House, and Texas kept him for old time's sake.

"Well, that's got nothing to do with it, except that these fellers cooked up a plant by which they were to get a girl into Jim's party. This girl is about the cleverest dip in New York,

and she was to hit the jewels and the watches and the money and everything she could get those swift hands of hers on, when the party got warmed up.

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